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In re Patent Application of:
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RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed July 6, 2005, setting forth an election of species requirement in the above-identified application. In the Office Action, the Examiner required Applicants to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §121 as follows:

- I. Figures 1-9.
- II. Figures 10-11.
- III. Figures 12-13.
- IV. Figures 14-16.
- V. Figures 17-23.
- VI. Figures 24-25.

- VII. Figures 26-27.
- VIII. Figures 28-29.
- IX. Figures 30-31.
- X. Figures 32-33.
- XI. Figures 34A-43.
- XII. Figures 44-47.
- XIII. Figures 48A-49B.
- XIV. Figures 50A-51B.

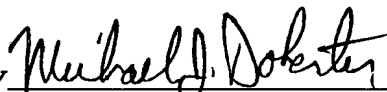
In response to the election of species requirement, Applicants elect species XI, Figures 34A-43, with claims 1-4, 8-24 and 28-37 being readable thereon.

Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application corresponding to the non-elected claims.

In the event any fee is due in connection with the present response, the Examiner is authorized to charge Applicant's Deposit Account No. 12-1095 therefor.

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